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Installing EC/TLC in Windows

The EC software is a DOS based software and may not function properly in a Windows environment. ET versions other than 1.26 will not communicate with pc's faster than a 386. To check the ET version of your TLC controller: ***Turn the TLC on and make sure it is in RESTART mode. Start the EC software. The first screen that comes up will give you both an EC and ET model # (i.e. EC Model 300 V. 1.292 ET Model 300 V. 1.26) The ET model will not show unless there is communication between the controller and the pc.***

Installing the Software

1. Restart the computer in MS DOS mode.
2. At C:\Windows type ***CD..*** then ***Enter***
3. At C:\ type ***MD EC*** then ***Enter***
4. Type ***CD EC*** then ***Enter***
5. Put the EC floppy into the disk drive and type ***COPY A:*.**** then ***Enter***
(If your floppy drive is not A: then substitute correct drive letter for A)
6. Make sure the controller is turned on and in ***ReStart*** mode then type ***EC*** then ***Enter***

Note: If you are more comfortable with Windows than DOS the same thing can be done through Windows Explorer.

What to do if you receive Controller Not Responding error message

1. Verify which com port you are connected to on your pc. The EC software defaults to look at com 1. If you are using com 2 exit the program (CTL + C) and type ***EC /C2*** then ***Enter*** (this tells the program to use com 2). If you still receive the Controller Not Responding message move onto 2.
2. Check the cable going from the controller to the pc and make sure that it is the port closest to the fan on the back of the controller and plugged into the correct port on the back of the pc. (Serial ports are male connections on the back of the pc. If the ports are not labeled refer to your computers user manual).